

Level 1 Validation Certificate



This document verifies that the Level 1 Validation process was completed. The session details and audit review outcomes are included here.

This certificate is required for submission – alongside the Level 1 validated water audit software file – to the California Department of Water Resources.

Call Date: 8/31/2021

Water Supplier

Supplier Name: Coachella Water Authority
PWS ID: CA3310007

Supplier Participants: Berlinda Blackburn, Jesus Chabolla, Castulo Estrada

Key Audit Metrics

Data Validity Score:	54
ILI:	2.47
Real Loss:	31.07 gal / conn / day
Apparent Loss:	7.54 gal / conn / day
Non-Revenue Water as Percent of Cost of Operating System:	3.2%

Validator

Validator: Jessica Jagdeo,
Water Systems Optimization

Validator Qualifications: Water Audit Validator Certificate from the AWWA California Nevada Section

Certification Statement by Validator

This water loss audit report has been Level 1 validated per the requirements of California Code of Regulations Title 23, Division 2, Chapter 7 and the California Water Code Section 10608.34.

All recommendations on volume derivation and Data Validity Grades were incorporated into the water audit. ☒

Level 1 Validation – Water Supplier Confirmation

This document confirms participation in and endorsement of the Level 1 Validation as completed.

This acknowledgement is required for submission – alongside your Level 1 validated water audit software file – to the California Department of Water Resources.

Water Supplier Name:

Coachella Water Authority

Water Supplier Public Water System ID:

3310007

Water Audit Period:

2020

Water Audit & Water Loss Improvement Steps

Steps taken in the audit period timeframe to increase data source accuracy, reduce real losses, and/or reduce apparent losses, as informed by the water audit.

Coachella Water Authority is improving on production meter testing through a pump efficiency service which provides meter efficiency data and diagnosis the need for meter calibration and mechanical pump adjustments or redesign. Measures have already been taken on replacing customer account meters in the distribution system for higher consumption accuracy and reliability. Greater consumption tracking and daily production plant analysis have already been implemented by the department to account for specific instrumentation control measurements and inconsistencies.

Certification Statement by Water Supplier Executive:

This water loss audit report meets the requirements of California Code of Regulations Title 23, Division 2, Chapter 7 and the California Water Code Section 106008.34 and has been prepared in accordance with the method adopted by the American Water Works Association, as contained in their manual, *Water Audits and Loss Control Programs, Manual M36, Fourth Edition* and in the Free Water Audit Software version 5.

Executive Name (print):

Gabriel D. Martin

Executive Position:

Executive Director

Signature:



Date

9/1/2021